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B.L.	THAMES	4178	800	W. A. Seaton	1st July.
†	SIAM	3038	500	H. T. Weigheli	8th "
B.L.	CARTHAGE	4479	1000	M. de Horne	15th "
†	ASSAM	3011	500	G. W. F. Browne.	22nd "
B.L.	ROHILLA	3287	700	J. E. Jephson	29th "
†	SIAM	3038	500	H. T. Weigheli	5th Augt.
B.L.	GANGES	4237	800	T. J. Allerton	12th "
†	ASSAM	3011	500	G. W. F. Browne.	19th "
B.L.	SUTLEJ	4155	800	W. D. G. Worcester.	26th "
†	SIAM	3038	500	H. T. Weigheli	2nd Sept.
B.L.	PENINSULAR	4372	1200	A. C. Leggin	9th "
†	ASSAM	3011	500	G. W. F. Browne.	16th "
					Saturday.
B.L.	ORIENTAL	4372	1200	L. H. Moule	24th Sept.

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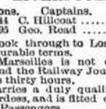

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New Assurance in 1891	43,566,319 "	=	7,28,494,785
Income	8,136,447 "	=	1,22,046,705
Assets, 31st December, 1891	28,374,691 "	=	4,25,620,365
Liabilities, 4 per cent. Valuation	22,917,820 "	=	3,43,767,300
Surplus, 4 per cent. Basis	5,456,871 "	=	81,853,065

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IMPROVEMENT DURING THE YEAR.

Increase of Income	989,081 at 1s. 4d	=	14,836,215
Increase of Assets	3,532,244 "	=	52,983,660
Increase of New Assurance	6,102,547 "	=	91,538,205
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Pherozeshah M. Mehta, Esq., will move the adoption of the Report, and that the President be requested to address Government in terms thereof.

By Order of the President,
H. WYNFORD BARROW,
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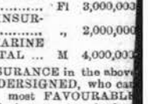

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Bengal	40,000	800	all	9 pr. ct.	1,021	
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	300	500	500		85
	1,000	125	125	7½ pr. ct.	93
	3,125	400	400	Rs. 40	465
	1,000	40	all	Rs. 35	250
	1,200	500	500	Rs. 55	615
	1,000	125	125	Rs. 12	1214
	90	500	500		395
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	300	500	500	20	50
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	1,200	1,000	1,000	Rs. 20	885
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nited	1,250	100	all	Nil.
Flour				
	600	2,500	1,000	75
	1,000	500	500	Rs. 25
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	1,000	500	500	5 pr.ct.
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	4,000	200	175	26
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THE s s Rannoch, 1,172 tons, Captain T E De Faye, arrived in harbour yesterday from London via Karachi, with a general cargo and one deck passenger. The vessel is consigned to Messrs M Mackenzie and Co.

THE B I S N Co's s s Simla, 1,039 tons, Captain J A Robertson, arrived in harbour yesterday from the Persian Gulf via Karachi, with a general cargo, 20 cases opium and the following passengers:—Mr E Livingstone, Dr Dixon, Mr C Peerbhoy, wife and three children, Two native ladies and child and 41 deck.

EXTRA STEAMER FROM CHINA.

THE P and O Co's s s Gwalior, 1,608 tons, Captain F Speck, arrived in harbour yesterday from China, with a general cargo.

DEPARTURE OF THE CHINA AND AUSTRALIAN MAILS.

THE P and O Co's s s Ganges, 2,110 tons, Captain H J Alderton, sailed yesterday for China, &c., with Her Majesty's China and Australian mails, a general cargo and the following passengers:—For Sydney—Mr Burne, Miss Durant, and Brig-Genl Sir George Wolseley. For Melbourne—Mrs. Mande vell. For Yokohama—Mr O Meyer. For Singapore—Mr and Mrs Martin. For Colombo—Mr Truckom and 2 deck.

VESSELS IN DOCKS.—JUNE 17.

PRINCE'S DOCK.

Vessels.	Tons.	Captains.	Sheds	Company or Agents.
S.S. Nyanza	51	Nacoda	B	A Munji.
„ Nasori	811	Hughes	C	B & P S N Co.
„ Victoria	1531	Ormiston	D	Captain
„ Gutenfels	1756	Thormann	E	Glade & Co
H M I M S Magdala	...	...	H J	Government
S.S. E. Gonda	1726	Goding	K	K Nixon & Co
„ Brahmani	...	...	L	Shepherd & Co
Ship Columbus	230	Junghans	N	V Ebrahim & Co
S.S. Naples	1362	Harrison	O	J Mackintosh
„ Albion	949	Ritchie	P	R Stewart & Co
„ B I Ardrossan	1325	Wisnom	Q	W & A Graham & Co
„ Mobile	400	McAdam ...alongside	C	B & P S N Co.

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			No.
S.S. Ganges	2110	Alderton	1 P. and O. Co.
„ Idar	2393	Hughes	2 E Bates & Co
„ Singapore	2132	...	3 F Branchi
„ Shannon	2393	Bishop	4 P. and O Co.
„ Teheran	1640	Toogarty	5 P and O Co
„ Lombardy	1570	Cole	7 P and O Co
„ M. Craig	2265	Denning	10 R Craig & Co.
„ Eden Hall	2373	Jones	13 E Bates
„ Emir	2320	Robson	15 K. Nixon and Co.
„ Durham	2131	Mathias	16 J Mathias

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Sohr Columbus ..... 230 ..... Junghans ..... Visram Ebraim

ARRIVALS.

June.	Vessel.	Commander.	From.
16	Trevellard (s)	Beckerly	Aden, June 9.
17	Gwalior (s)	Speck	Hongkong, May 28.
	Rannoch (s)	De Faye	London, May 7.
	Simla (s)	Robertson	Busreh, June 4.
	H. I. M. S. Clive	Howett	Rangoon, June 7.
	Cedar Branch (s)	Pitchers	Mauritius, June 4.

DEPARTURES.

June.	Vessel.	Commander.	Destination.
*17	Nizam (s)	Leftwich	Calcutta, &c.
	Cawnpore (s)	Whitehead	Calcutta, &c.
	Ganges (s)	Alderton	China, &c.
	Shannon (s)	Bishop	London.
	Baron Ardrossan (s)	Wisnom	Hamburg.

The following vessels entered for loading yesterday:—
Steamer Lycia, for Antwerp.
„ Trevellard, for Hull, Dunkirk and Liverpool.

MADRAS.

ARRIVALS.

June.		
15	Secundra s	Singapore.
	M Meanatchy s	Rangooon.

DEPARTURES.

13	Palitana s	Negapatam.
	Manora s	London.
	Nowshera s	Bombay.
14	Kangra s	Rangoon.

DAILY IMPORTS.—JUNE 17.

FROM GLASGOW.
Nithsdale s—30 cases whisky, J A Kirkbride and Co.
Clan Macnab s—100 hogsheads ale, Cutler Palmer and Co; 30 cases whisky, Eduljee Bajonjee; 70 casks ale W Nutter and Co.
Asia—7 drums rectified spirit, B Cullianjee.

FROM LIVERPOOL.
Eden Hall—170 cases portwine, Phipson and Co.

FROM LONDON.
Gutenfels s—9 cases medicine, K Nathoo and Co.

FROM HAMBURG.
Clio s—2 hogsheads rectified spirit, Dhunjeebhoy Cowasjee; 2 cases perfumery, F Samsoodin; 9 cases medicine, M Amersey and Co.

FROM BREMEN.
Gutenfels s—70 cases beer, Dhunjeebhoy Cowasjee.

FROM CHARENTE.
Cathay s—24 cases brandy, Jamsetjee and Co.
Cathay s—31 cases champagne, Sorabshah and Co.
Shamon s—29 cases brandy, Souza and Fernandes.

FROM BORDEAUX.
Kirby Hall s—115 cases brandy, Dhunjeebhoy Cowasjee.
Eden Halls—220 cases brandy, N Ardasir and Sons.
Cathay s—31 cases champagne, Sorabshah and Co.
Shamon s—29 cases brandy, Souza and Fernandes.

DAILY EXPORTS.—JUNE 17.

FOR LIVERPOOL.
Idar s—2 cases Indian curiosities, and 1 case silver plateware, Ralli Brothers; 45 bales wool, M Cassam and Co; 58 bales wool, Daud. Sassoon and Co; 59 bales wool, C Mooljee; 2,001 cwts linseed, Thos H More and Co; 4,009 cwts wheat, Ewart, Latham and Co; 22 bales wool, M Khoojeband.

FOR HAMBURG.
Minna Craig s—673 cwts gingellyseed, Hugo Schwer and Co; 300 bales cotton, David Sassoon and Co.
Gutenfels s—999 cwts rapeseed, E D Sassoon and Co.

FROM ANTWERP.
Naples s—2,031 cwts linseed, Finlay Muir and Co; 1,440 cwts wheat, E D Sassoon and Co; 4,003 cwts wheat and 3,000 cwts rapeseed, A A Mohomed and Co.

FOR BREMEN.
Gutenfels s—165 bales cotton, Glade and Co.

FOR MARSEILLES.
Eden Hall s—1,034 cwts linseed and 10 cwts wheat, Ralli Brothers.

FOR GENOA.
Singapore s—699 bales cotton, Ralli Brothers; 200 bales cotton, David Sassoon and Co.

FOR TRIESTE.
Durham s—3,731 cwts myraballams, W Gurtler; 30 cwts gum, F S Punnett; 300 bales cotton, Passoo Heerjee and Co.

FOR HONGKONG.
Ganges s—6 cwts ivory, C Ebram and Co; 4 chests opium, David Sassoon and Co; 8 chests opium, Tata and Co; 2 chests opium, N Treecumchand.
Teheran s—200 bales twist, David Sassoon and Co.
Lombardy s—24 cwts ivory, M Fuckeerbhoy; 114 bales twist, C Ebram and Co; 91 bales twist and 46 bales T cloth, David Sassoon and Co; 220 bales twist, Sassoon J David and Co.

FOR SHANGHAI.
Ganges s—2 chests opium, Silas E Sassoon; 2 chests opium, N Treecumchund; 12 chests opium, B Balakas; 9 chests opium, B Balchand.
Lombardy s—80 bales twist, Sassoon J David and Co; 100 bales twist, C Ebram and Co.

FOR KOBE.
Teheran s—500 bales cotton, Volkart Bros; 555 bales cotton, Lyon and Co; 700 bales cotton, Gaddum Bythel and Co; 50 bales twist, Sassoon J David and Co; 75 bales twist, Dinshaw D Curranee and Co.
Lombardy s—200 bales cotton, Lyon and Co.

FOR YOKOHAMA.
Teheran s—200 bales cotton, Lyon and Co.
Lombardy s—33 bales cotton, Lyon and Co.

MILITARY INTELLIGENCE.

ARRIVALS.—JUNE 15.

MacMahon, Major, 3rd Bo L I, on leave, from Satara.
Minchin, Capt, Bo, R A., off leave, from Belgaum.

JUNE 17.

Barnett, Lt Ms, 6th Burmah Regt, on leave, from Shwelo.
Dunlop, Lt, Ms, R A, on leave, from St Thomas Mount.
Galbraith, Maj-Genl, Beng, A G in India, on leave, from Simla.

DEPARTURES.—JUNE 17.

Swayne, Capt Ms, R E, on duty, to Aden.
Galbraith, Maj-Genl Beng, A G in India, on leave, to England.
Campbell, Lt, 15th Ms I, on leave, to England.
Wolseley, Brig-Genl, Ms, Dist Staff, on leave, to Australia.
Swayne, Lt, 16th Beng Inft, on duty, to Aden.
Taylor, Capt, Beng, 2nd Queen's, on leave, to England.
Barnett, Lt, Ms, 6th B rmah Regt, on leave, to England.
Dunlop, Lt, Ms, R A, on leave, to England.
Robinson, Surg-Capt, Beng, I M S, on leave, to England.
MacMahon, Major, 3rd Bo L I, on leave, to Satara.

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(Sd.) J. SANDERS-SLATER, Lieut.
Actg. Adjt., B. V. A.

CALENDAR.—JUNE, 1892.

PHASES OF THE MOON.

Last Quarter..... June 18th, 1h. 52·1m. a.m.
New Moon..... „ 24th, 6h. 57·9m. p.m.

Days.	Engagements, &c.	Sunrise.	Sunset.	High Water.	Low Water.
		H. M.	H. M.	H. M.	H. M.
Sat. 18	Back Bay Baths, Cup Race. City of Bombay Club vs. Liberal Cricket Club.	5 23	6 38	4 58m 5 16 a	10 42m ——
Sun. 19	Hindu Cricket Club vs. Young Zoroastrian Club. Elphinstone C. Club vs. Proprietary C. Club. 1st Sunday after Trinity. English Mail expected per s. s. Assam.*	5 24	6 38	5 22m 5 16 a	0 0m 0 3 a
Mon. 20	Midland Press Co., Meeting, 5 p.m.	5 24	6 39	7 35m 7 17 a	0 57m 1 21 a
Tues. 21	Thacker and Co., Extraordinary General Meeting, 5 p.m.	5 24	6 39	8 44m 8 16 a	1 51m 2 26 a
Wed. 22	Municipal Standing Committee, 3 p.m. Bombay Native Insurance Co., Meeting, 3 p.m. Mutual Provident Society, Meeting, 4 p.m. Meeting of Shareholders, Southwell and Austin, 3 p.m.	5 24	6 39	9 49m 9 14 a	2 42m 3 27 a
Thurs 23	.....	5 24	6 39	10 38m 10 10 a	3 31m 4 23 a
Fri. 24	Departure of the English Mail per s. s. Assam.	5 25	6 39	10 28m 11 3 a	4 18m 5 15 a

* Left Aden on Tuesday at 7 a.m.

COMMERCIAL INTELLIGENCE

FRIDAY EVENING, JUNE 17.

THE price of Bar Silver remained at 41d. per oz., in London yesterday; but Rupee Securities were ¼ per cent. lower in each denomination at £70½ for Fours and £69¾ for 4½ per Cents; while in New York the metal was ⅛ cent cheaper, at 90 cents, with demand Exchange on London unchanged at 4·88½ dollars, Consols were unaltered in London, at 96⅜; and Indian Sterling Loan at 107¾. The Exchange Bank's buying rate on India, at thirty days' sight, remained at 1s. 3 9-16d. French Rentes in Paris were ¼ per cent. higher, at par; Paris Exchange on London was 1¼ centime lower, at frcs. 25·19½.

The weekly Returns of the Bank of England issued on Wednesday, showed the Bank's Reserve to be 47 per cent. of the Liabilities, on an increase in the former of 2 per cent. since the previous statement. The Bank's rate remained at 2 per cent.; and the market rate of discount was unchanged on six months' sight Indian Bank Paper at 1¼ per cent.; but it was ⅛ lower on short London Bills, at ¾ per cent.

The Wheat Market was unchanged; but Bombay Linseed was 3d. per quarter higher, to arrive, at 40s. 3d. per quarter, Ex-Quay.

Cotton in Liverpool closed steady last evening; Surats steady; and Arrivals flat; the sales having aggregated 10,000 bales, without any East Indians. The price of spot Mid.-Americans remained at 4 3-16d. per lb.; and Surats were unchanged in value; but Arrivals were further 1-32d. lower, the extreme quotations being 4 1-16d. for June-July deliveries, and 4 7-32d. for October-November. The day's Imports were 6,000 bales. The Manchester Market was firm.

In New York, the price of ready Mid.-Uplands was again 1·16 cent. lower, at 7 7-16 cents; but September Futures were 7 points higher, at 7·58 cents. The Receipts at the U. S. Ports were 2,000 bales; and the total figures for this season now compare as follows with those of the two preceding years:—

	1892.	1891.	1890.
Thursday's Receipts ...	2,000	2,000	1,700
Five day's do.	22,000	18,000	3,000
Since 1st Sept., 1891 ...	6,940,000	6,815,000	5,735,000

In sympathy with the governing markets for the staple, Cotton here is quiet in tone, though unchanged in value, and business continues to be on a very small scale. The purchases for export reported to-day are 200 bales of Bhownugger, at Rs. 182½ to 186; and 250 Broach, at Rs. 190-93; while the Mills have taken only 650 bales, consisting of 400 Rampore Ginned, at Rs. 180; 200 Bhownugger, at Rs. 177; and 50 Oojein, at Rs. 171½ per candy.

WHEAT has also remained quiet in tone, and in but small request for export; but prices are quoted as before.

SEEDS have been taken to a moderate extent by shippers in a steady market, and on the basis of previous rates.

The Receipts of Produce into Bombay yesterday were as follows:—

Cotton	4,423 bales.
Wheat	75,617 owts.
Linseed	3,903 „
Rapeseed	6,993 „
Poppyseed	1,945 „
Groundnuts	909 „
Castorseed	3,378 „

FREIGHTS.—There has been a little more enquiry to-day at yesterday's low rates; but it has not led to any fresh business of importance.

EXCHANGE opened at 1s. 3¾d. for Bank Demand and Telegraphic and remained thereat throughout the day, a moderate amount of business having transpired. For three months' sight Credits, 1s. 3 25-32d. was the quoted rate; no business, however, being reported till late in the day, when we heard that 1s. 3¾d. was done for a little Paper; but even at this rate Bills were not procurable, and the market closed quiet as follows:—

Bank Bills on demand	1s. 3¾	per rupee.
Do. Telegraphic	1s. 3¾d.	„
Do. 3 months' sight	1s. 3 11-16d.	„
Credits do.	1s. 3¾ to 25-32d.	„
Francs do.	1·66	„

GOVERNMENT PAPER has been weak to-day, and rates for Fours have further receded to 103⅛ for cash; 102 15-16 for the settlement at the end of this month; and 102½ for the July account; but not much has been booked on either line. 107¼ is still named for 4½ per cents.

SHARES have not been much enquired for, but there has been a little movement in Cotton Mill and Press Scrip, resulting in an advance of Rs. 30 in Jewraj Baloo, of Rs. 10 in Bombay Cotton, of Rs. 7½ in Southern Mahratta, of Rs. 5 in Oriental, and of Rs. 2 in Lowjee Mill shares; and of Rs. 25 each in Bombay and Khangaum, and a decline of Rs. 2½ in Lowjee, and of 1 in New Indian Press shares, at par to close quotations.

DIVIDEND WARRANTS.

Essex [illegible] Rs. 100 per share, payable on and after June 19.

7-30 a.m.—Matins.
8 a.m.—Holy Communion.—Sermon by Canon Gutter in G.—Hymns 161, 228 and 174.
4-15 p.m.—Matins and Sermon.
6 p.m.—Evensong and Sermon by the Reverend H. Nelson.—Hymns 163, 261 and 278.
Magnificat and Nunc Dimittis.—Chants.
Anthem.—"Arise, Shine."—Page 13 of Green Book.
The offertories for the Mauritius Relief Fund.
Daily Matins at 8-15 a.m. and Evensong at 5-15 p.m.
Tuesday and Thursday Evensong at 7-15 a.m.

ALL SAINTS' CHURCH, MALABAR HILL.
7-30 a.m.—Matins and Holy Communion.
5-30 p.m.—Evensong and Sermon.

ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST, COLABA.
(Afghan Memorial Church.)
7 a.m.—Parade Service.—Hymns 3, (Part I). 251 and 292.
8 a.m.—Holy Communion.—Hymns 237, 256 and 28.
9 p.m.—Sunday School.
6 p.m.—Evensong and Sermon.—Hymns 237, 256 and 28.

HOLY TRINITY CHURCH, ESPLANADE.
7-15 a.m.—Celebration of the Holy Communion and Sermon.—Hymns 163, 261 and 278.
9 p.m.—Sunday School.
6 p.m.—Evening Prayer and Sermon.—Hymns 161, 228 and 174.
The offertories for Church expenses and poor relief.

FREE CHURCH OF SCOTLAND, ESPLANADE.
4-30 p.m.—Sunday School and Bible Class will be re-opened.
6 p.m.—Evening Service.
Hymns 235, 262 and 149.
Psalm 23.

ST. NICHOLAS' CHURCH.
(Opposite the main entrance to Prince's Dock).
7-30 a.m.—Holy Communion.
6-30 p.m.—Evensong and Sermon—by Revd. W. R. H. Pughe.

MISSION CHURCH, GIRGAUM.
11 a.m.—Morning Prayer and Sermon.—Hymns 311, 275 and 295.
6 p.m.—Evening Prayer, Sermon, and Holy Communion.—Hymns 331, 256 and 370.

WESLEYAN METHODIST CHURCH, ESPLANADE.
11 a.m. and 6 p.m.—Rev. E. Mortimer.
(Byculla, Victoria Gardens.)
9-30 a.m. and 6 p.m.—Mr. A. E. Knott.—Marathi Service.
10-30 a.m.—Rev. S. Rahator.

CHRIST CHURCH, BYCULLA.
7-30 a.m.—Holy Communion.
11 a.m.—Morning Prayer and Sermon.—Hymns 4 and 273.
5 p.m.—Sunday School.
6 p.m.—Evening Prayer and Sermon.—Hymns 231, 217 and 214.

BAPTIST CHURCH.
(Opposite Byculla Club.)
8 a.m. and 6 p.m.—Sunday Services.
4-30 p.m.—Sunday School with Bible Class for adults.
11 a.m.—Marathi Service.
Seats free. Cordial invitation to all.

ST. PETER'S CHURCH, MAZAGON.
6-30 a.m.—Matins (plain).
7 a.m.—Holy Communion (Choral); Sermon by Rev. Br. Beale.
10 a.m.—Catechism (Choral); by Rev. Fr. Biscoe.
6 p.m.—Evensong (Choral); Sermon by Rev. Fr. Gardner.
Daily 6-30 and 7 a.m.; and 8 p.m. (Choral).
Alms for general expenses.

ST. MARY'S CHURCH, PAREL.
7-30 a.m.—Holy Communion.
8 a.m.—Matins and Sermon.
5 p.m.—Sunday School.
6 p.m.—Evensong and Sermon.

CHURCH OF SCOTLAND.
9 a.m.—B. B. and C. I. Railway Institute, Parel.
6 p.m.—St. Andrew's Church, Fort.
Hy. 11; 44—2nd tune; 79.
Anthem.—"Arise, Shine."—Page 13 of Green Book.

BOMBAY YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION.
Service will be held on board the s. s. "Ethelgonda" in the Prince's Dock on Sunday morning, at 11 o'clock. Captains, Officers, Engineers, Seamen, and others are cordially invited. The Bethel Flag will be hoisted. Come and bring your friends.

TELEGRAPHIC LINE REPORTS.

JUNE 17.

STATE OF INTERNATIONAL COMMUNICATION.
GREAT BRITAIN.—Via Teheran, perfect. Via Turkey, Interrupted. Via Suez, perfect.
CONTINENT OF EUROPE.—Via Teheran, perfect. Via Turkey, Interrupted. Via Suez, perfect.
AMERICA.—Via Brest, perfect. Via Valentia, perfect. Via Direct Cable, perfect.
AUSTRALIA.—Via Penang, perfect. Via Amoor, perfect.
CHINA.—Via Penang, perfect. Via Amoor, perfect.
AFRICA.—Via Aden, perfect. Via Cadiz-Teneriffe, perfect. Via Lisbon-St. Vincent, perfect.
At present telegrams in code language cannot be accepted for Blagoveschensk and Pekin.
Telegrams for Salvador except Libertad can be accepted only at sender's risk.
Secret language in telegrams for Kotonon is temporarily prohibited.
The Turkish route is interrupted beyond Busreh.

FOREIGN TELEGRAPHIC SERVICE.

LATEST dates of foreign messages received at Bombay from the United Kingdom during the 24 hours ending at 8 p.m., of the 17th June, 1892.

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TELEGRAMS.

[REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.]

MEETING OF CREDITORS OF THE NEW ORIENTAL BANK

LONDON, JUNE 16.

A meeting of the creditors of the New Oriental Bank was held to-day, at which it was resolved to go into voluntary liquidation, and Mr. Welton was appointed provisional liquidator.

Reconstruction was proposed but not pressed on the ground that liquidation would not bar subsequent reconstruction if feasible.

EXPECTED DIVIDEND OF THE ORIENTAL BANK.

JUNE 17.

At the New Oriental Bank meeting yesterday, the Chairman said he hoped the Bank would be able to pay a dividend of fifteen shillings in the pound.

THE IRISH EDUCATION BILL.

[illegible] of Commons last night the Irish [illegible] and a third time, and passed.

OFFICERS BILL.

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THE UGANDA QUESTION.

Mr. Balfour, in reply to a question in the Commons, said that the withdrawal of the British East Africa Company from Uganda in no wise implied abandoning the country. The proper way, he said, to maintain the British position at Uganda was to construct a railway there from the Coast.

DEATH OF THE EARL OF ANCRUM.

The Earl of Ancrum, Aide-de-Camp to the Earl of Jersey, Governor of New South Wales, has been killed accidentally whilst out shooting near Sydney.

AN INTERNATIONAL BOAT-RACE.

The Oxford University crew have agreed to row the winning crew in the forthcoming boat-race in America between the Harvard and Yale Universities.

MR. GLADSTONE AND THE EIGHT HOURS MOVEMENT.

Mr. Gladstone, replying to a deputation of the London Trades Council, urging the eight hours movement, said he declined to take up the question, and intended to devote the remainder of his life to Ireland.

DENGUE FEVER IN MOROCCO.

Advices from Fez state that Sir Euan and Lady Smith, besides the entire British Mission, are prostrated with dengue fever.

THE MAILS.

SUEZ, JUNE 17.

The P. and O. Company's steamer Carthage, with the outward English mails of the 10th instant, left here for Bombay, at 10 p.m., to-day.

ADEN, JUNE 17.

The P. and O. Company steamer Siam, with the homeward Indian mails of the 10th instant, arrived at Aden, at 5 p.m., yesterday.

THE QUARTER-MASTER GENERAL'S STAFF.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

SIMLA, JUNE 17.

The Intelligence Branch of the Quarter-Master General's Office, as reorganised, consists as follows:—Assistant Quartermaster-General, Brevet-Lieutenant-Colonel Elles; four Deputy Assistants, Captains Allen, Dun, D. S. O., Mason, R. E., D. S. O., and MacSwinney, D. S. O.; and four paid Attachés, Lieutenants Holland, Colomb, the Hon Napier, and Robertson.

GAZETTE OF INDIA NOTIFICATIONS.

SIMLA, JUNE 17.

Finance Department.—Mr. Killner, Accountant-General, Punjab, has been granted privilege leave for three months, Mr. Hart officiating.

Mr. Kensington, Deputy Secretary, Finance Department, has been granted privilege leave, for two months, from July 1.

Foreign Department.—Lieutenant Moore, 2nd Madras Lancers, officiates as Wing Officer and Adjutant, Deoli Irregulars.

Lieutenant Young, 24th Madras Infantry, officiates as Adjutant, Malwa Bhil Corps.

Lieutenant Harris, Inspecting Officer, Kashmir Imperial Service Troops, has been granted privilege leave for ninety days.

H. E. the Viceroy and Governor-General of India has been pleased to recognise the appointment of Mr. Alfred Hoare, Consular Agent, for Austria, at Karachi, *vice* Mr. Maclellan.

Military Department.—Captain W. Y. Foster has been appointed Adjutant, Royal Horse Artillery, Kirkee. Captain Lecky, Royal Artillery, has been appointed A.-D.-C. to Major-General Nairne, Commanding Meerut District.

The undermentioned Officers have been admitted to the Staff Corps:—Lieutenants William Anderson, Highland Light Infantry; Nethersole, Royal Scots Fusiliers; and William Keyworth, South Staffordshire Regiment; 2nd-Lieutenants Alfred Frederick Copeland, Royal West Kent Regiment; Henry Ainslie, North Staffordshire Regiment; Wyndham Bannerman, Gloucestershire Regiment; and Reginald Montresor, Somersetshire Regiment.

The undermentioned Officers have been granted leave and extensions:—Lieutenant Mocatta, for one year; Major Channer, fourteen days; Major Hewett, till November 1; and Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonel Meadows, five months.

Major Boileau and Surgeon-Captain MacLeod have been permitted to resign the service.

Brigadier-General Sir Henry Collett has succeeded to the good service pension, *vice* General Low who succeeds to the Colonel's allowance.

Marine Department.—Mr. Vines has been granted leave for six months.

Home Department.—Rules for quarantine against plague for Aden, Perim, and Somali, have been published.

The services of Captain Lindsell, District Superintendent of Police, Port Blair, have been replaced at the disposal of the Military Department, Captain Burton being appointed to Port Blair.

Public Works Department.—Lieutenant-Colonel Brackenbury has been confirmed as Manager of the Oudh and Rohilkhand Railway.

The services of Colonel Le Mesurier, Chief Engineer, Punjab, have been replaced at the disposal of the Military Department; Lieutenant-Colonel Marshall, Superintending Engineer, Rajputana, succeeding as Chief Engineer, Mr. White, Superintending Engineer, Burma, being appointed to Rajputana, Mr. D. Joreslyns, Executive Engineer, First Grade, Burma, is promoted Superintending Engineer, Third Class, and Mr. Anderson, Executive Engineer, First Grade, Kashmir, is promoted to Superintending Engineer, Third Class.

PRESIDENCY AND PROVINCIAL GOOD SHOOTING MEDALS.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

POONA, JUNE 17.

The following are the winners of the Bombay Presidency and Provincial Medals for good shooting, for the season 1891-92:—Presidency Medal.—Sergeant LeFeuvre, 2nd Battalion, B. B. and C. I. Railway Volunteer Corps, 83 points. Provincial Medal.—Lieutenant Lang, Sind Volunteer Rifle Corps, 83 points. The Presidency Medal is awarded to Sergeant Le Feuvre on account of his having made the better score at the longest distance in the competition.

CAPTAIN COX'S LECTURE ON MAGAZINE RIFLES.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

ALLAHABAD, JUNE 17.

His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief will preside at the next lecture in the United Service Institution in Simla, on July 14, when Captain H. V. Cox will deliver a lecture on Magazine Rifles, with suggestions as to the probable effect of rifle fire with smokeless powder on the tactics of the battle-field.

CANDIDATES FOR THE VICTORIA CROSS.

It is understood that the Victoria Cross will be granted to Captain Aylmer, R. E., and Lieutenant Boisragon, 5th Gurkhas, for gallantry at Nilt, in the Hunza Expedition.

Lieutenant Manners Smith has been recommended for a similar decoration.

THE LUCKNOW-RAI BAREILLY RAILWAY.

Rails are already arriving for the new line between Lucknow and Rai Bareili, but the steel sleepers are not expected till September; meanwhile all the earthwork is finished and the bridges are well in hand. If the sleepers come up to time the rails will probably be laid by January.

MR. G. HANKIN'S APPOINTMENT.

In connection with the appointment of a Chemical Examiner, Analyst, and Bacteriologist to the North-West Provinces, Oudh, and the Central Provinces, it is satisfactory to know that the services of such a well-qualified scientific worker, as Mr. G. H. Hankin, B A., have been secured. Mr. Hankin, says the *Pioneer*, is widely known in the medical world for his researches in the bacteriology of the blood in its connection with infectious disease. He starts for India in September.

BOMBAY ARMY ORDERS.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT)

POONA, JUNE 17.

His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief has been pleased to make the following appointments:—

6th Bombay Cavalry (Jacob's Horse).—2nd-Lieutenant Alexander, officiating Wing Officer, 3rd Bombay Light Infantry, to officiate as Squadron Officer, on probation.

30th Bombay Infantry, 3rd Beluch Battalion—2nd-Lieutenant Eastwood, 2nd Battalion Gloucestershire Regiment, a candidate for the Indian Staff Corps, to officiate as Wing Officer, on probation, dated June 3, 1892.

With reference to Army Order, No. 41, of 23rd January, 1891, Lieutenant Hay, 7th Bombay Infantry, attached to the 21st Bombay Infantry, Marine Battalion, will rejoin his former Battalion.

The undermentioned Officers have been reported to have passed the required examination in the following languages, *viz.*, Hindustani, Higher Standard.—Lieutenant Koosmale Cocq, Leicestershire Regiment, attached to the 3rd Bombay Light Infantry; Lieutenant Searle, 9th Bombay Infantry; Lieutenant Hannyington, Worcestershire Regiment, attached to the 19th Bombay Infantry; and 2nd-Lieutenant M. Lowndes, Royal Dublin Fusiliers. Hindustani, Lower Standard.—Surgeon-Captain Murray, Indian Medical Service; Lieutenant Murray, Royal Engineers; Lieutenant Walpole, Royal Engineers; Lieutenant Nuttal, Lancashire Fusiliers, attached to the 21st Bombay Infantry; Lieutenant Warker, Royal Munster Fusiliers, attached to the 3rd Bombay Light Infantry; Schoolmistress Monds, 2nd Battalion King's Own Yorkshire Light Infantry; and Corporal Inward, Royal Engineers. Persian, Lower Standard.—Captain Hazelgrove, 14th Bombay Infantry; and Lieutenant Pottinger, Royal Artillery, attached to the 10th Bombay Light Infantry.

With reference to Bombay Army Order, No. 205, of April 8, 1892, it is notified that his Royal Highness the Commander-in-Chief has been pleased to grant Lieutenant Woolrych, 2nd Battalion Liverpool Regiment, leave, on medical certificate, from 6th April to 6th October, 1892.

The undermentioned Officers have been granted leave of absence:—Royal Artillery.—Captain Minter to England, on medical certificate, for one year; Lieutenant Peile, No. 14 Company, Eastern Division, for two months, on private affairs, in extension of the leave, granted in Army Order, No. 137, of 4th March, 1892.

Durham Light Infantry.—2nd Battalion, Major Whitby to England, from 15th June to 31st October, 1892, on private affairs.

[REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.]

STEAMER MOVEMENTS.

SINGAPORE, JUNE 10.

The P. and O. Company's Steamer s. s. Venetia (extra), left here this afternoon for Bombay.

PORT SAID, JUNE 16.

The B. I. S. N. Co.'s steamer Golconda left here this morning, homeward bound, from Calcutta, Madras, and Colombo.

The B. I. S. N. Co.'s steamer Rewa, outward bound, for Calcutta, Madras, and Colombo, left here this morning.

SUEZ, JUNE 16.

The Clan Line steamer Clan Macalister, from Calcutta, Madras, and Colombo, arrived here this morning.

BRINDISI, JUNE 17.

The Austrian Lloyd's steamer Imperator, from Bombay, arrived here this morning.

COMMERCIAL AND FINANCIAL NEWS.

LONDON, JUNE 16.

The Liverpool Cotton Market closed steady. Surats quiet.

Good Dhollera	3¼
The Manchester Market has been firm.	
2½ per cent. Consols	96⅝
3 per cent. Rentes	100
3½ per cent. Sterling Loan	107½
4 per cent. Rupee Paper	70½
4½ per cent. "	69½
Bar Silver	41

The Bank of England returns for the week ending yesterday show the following results:—Total bullion, £26,900,000, increase £800,000; public deposits, £6,000,000; decrease £700,000; other deposits, £31,000,000; increase, £1,800,000; other securities, £25,000,000; decrease, £100,000; notes and gold, £17,400,000; increase, £900,000. The Bank's reserve is 47 per cent. of the liabilities.

A GENTLEMAN was enjoying a country holiday and rested one Sunday at a little town which boasted a fine old church. Thither he repaired and took up his position in an empty pew. As the service began, a surly-looking old gentleman hurried up the aisle and planted himself near the door, scowling the while at the intruder. When the hymn was given out the old man took a book and handed it to the stranger. On the margin was pencilled: "This is my pew." At the conclusion of the hymn the book was handed back with a second line traced below the former: "Very nice pew! What do you pay for it?"

AFTER sitting seven years, the Town Holdings Committee have at length presented their report. They have pronounced against a distinct annual assessment of reversions and a separate assessment of ground values and building values as impracticable, and they are also against the proposal to rate vacant building land, but they are in favour of an equal division of rates between the owner and occupier, landlord, and tenant; the landlord to be entitled to deduct from his ground-rent, if any, the proportion per pound which would be due from the ground landlord. But this system of division of rates should, in the opinion of the committee, only apply to future contracts. The committee also express the opinion that if Parliament should decide to impose special taxation for local public improvements upon owners of reversionary interests, it is worthy of consideration whether a municipal death-duty would not be the best means of effecting that object.

PAPIER mâché coffins for paupers have found a zealous advocate in the person of the Rev. A. F. Curtis, one of the guardians of the parish of White Notley, Essex. Mr. Curtis has, it is explained, been moved to recommend this change by the crowded state of our country churchyards, and that of White Notley in particular. At the meeting of the Braintree Board, last week, he pointed out "the advantage of a system of burial which admits of the early decomposition of bodies, and recommended that when the present contracts for coffins expire, paper should take the place of wood." Mr. Curtis expressed his belief that papier mâché coffins "would become popular among the poor," but other guardians foresaw difficulties "through public prejudice," and one expressed a fear that a clamour would arise if they began the experiment of papier mâché coffins with paupers. Ultimately it was resolved that the matter was worthy of further consideration, and the clerk was asked to obtain tenders for coffins of the kind described.

VANITY FAIR.

(FROM OUR LADY CORRESPONDENT.)

LONDON, MAY 27.

ALMANACS tell us that 1819 was a year of Great Babies. It gave us John Ruskin, Walt Whitman, Charles Kingsley, J. G. Holland, Cyrus Field, Julia Ward Howe, and last, but not the least of important factors in the world's affairs, her Most Gracious Majesty Queen Victoria. This week we celebrated the seventy-third anniversary of the Royal birthday with the usual loyal demonstrations—bright flags, illuminations, cannonading, and the annual birthday reception at the Foreign Office. But though there were over two thousand invitations issued, and the crowd was as brilliant as dignity and wealth, and beauty and distinction—represented by Cabinet Ministers and their wives, Ambassadors and Ambassadresses, Grand Dukes and Duchesses, attachés and ladies-in-waiting—could make it, it was impossible not to miss the presence of their Royal Highnesses the Prince and Princess of Wales, who are usually the centre of attraction. This year their Royal Highnesses are away in Denmark, where the celebration of the Royal Golden Wedding has gathered together one of the most remarkable of family parties in the world. Denmark, a kingdom hardly half the size of Ireland, and with a population of less than two millions, is through its King and Queen connected with most of the Monarchies of Europe. Denmark has given a King to Greece, a Czarina to Russia, a future Queen to England, and a wife to the ex-King of Hanover, one of the richest men in Europe.

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It was by right of his wife, niece of a former King of Denmark, that Prince Christian of Glucksburg became King Christian IX., when the last of the direct male line of Danish Kings died in 1863. The King is in his seventy-fifth year—the oldest of the sovereigns of Europe; and his wife Queen Louise is somewhat older, though still retaining the grace of perennial youth and beauty which she has transmitted to her daughters.

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Among the Birthday honours conferred by the Queen, the gift of the Dukedom of York to Prince George is most interesting to the public, though there is a widespread feeling of regret that so unlucky a title should fall to the lot of the popular favourite. Hitherto the Dukes of York have been mostly unfortunate. One of the little Princes murdered in the Tower was a Duke of York. Another Duke of York was the second son of James I., who succeeded to the throne as Charles I., and was beheaded at Whitehall. The Duke of York who was the younger brother of Charles II. succeeded to the throne, but was driven from it at the Revolution, and died in exile; a second son of George III. was also unlucky in his undertakings as Duke of York. Superstitions die hard, but the Fates, who have already given such a turn to Prince George's Wheel-of-Fortune as to make him prospective King of England, may also remove in his favour the ill-luck of the Dukes of York.

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The confirmation of the rumour of an engagement between Prince George of Wales and the Princess May, is expected in August, though it is understood that there will be no arrangements for a Royal wedding before the end of the year's mourning. It seems indeed rather premature and unkind, while their bereavement is so fresh in royal hearts, to make their family matters the subject of vulgar gossip.

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Is there any good reason, in these days of scientific bolts and locks and bars, of electric alarums, and rapid mechanical communications, why a prison should not be as sure and as safe a reformatory as the grave, and, in view of occasional judicial mistakes, not so irrevocably closed? The record of criminal cases does not show any deterrent effect exercised by fear of the death penalty. Few precautions are taken by murderers against discovery, and in many instances, criminals voluntarily surrender themselves into the hands of justice. That there is in the human mind an inability to realize death as affecting oneself is perhaps the reason the death penalty has so little terror for wrong-doers. We all readily believe in the danger of others, but every one of us, including the murderer, has a happy unconsciousness of the reality of his own death, and assumes that the Destroying Angel will pass him over without striking. This does away with the deterrent argument, and the other points in support of the death penalty are equally untenable. Scriptural precedent can scarcely be advanced by people who do not literally carry out all the Bible Laws. Nor is a sensational repentance an argument in favour of keeping up the terrors of capital punishment. The brutalizing effect on the masses of reports of executions and closing scenes is sufficient to nullify any small amount of good otherwise achieved; and instead of a theatrical exit, a life atonement would be surer evidence of a criminal's sorrow, and a better reparation to the outraged feelings of the victim's relatives and friends. That the death sentence is more merciful than penal servitude for life should be no point of recommendation to those who think the crime of murder merits the severest penalty the law can inflict. A convict should hold his life on the strictest conditions, and in almost solitary confinement devote his time to repair as far as lies in his power the harm he has done, and to pay by hard work and scanty food for the expenses of his maintenance. In this way he would do away with the only good argument in favour of capital punishment—its economy. And in view of the vast expenditure that is already necessary, the custody of a criminal more or less could hardly effect such an appreciable saving as to compensate for the misery it gives humanitarians to see the lives of erring, but often irresponsible, beings snuffed out with as little feeling as the light of a wasted candle.

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There is a strong suggestion in the title of the book, "Guy Darrel's Wives," of a romance from the great Salt Lake Settlement, or of a love tale from the Land of the Crescent, or of a yarn told by an amorous Jack Tar with a sweetheart in every port. At once in imagination, we see the very much married hero, surrounded, regardless of law, conventionality, or the ordinary accepted ideas of domestic bliss, by a varied assortment of Mrs. Darrels. But the reality is a much less striking picture. The sensational title is only an author's trick to attract attention to his book, just as a cheap shopkeeper puts all his wares in the window, reckless of the disappointment he causes when the stock inside is not found equal to the promising exterior. The story of Guy Darrel's Wives produces the same sense of having been deluded by false pretences. The author does not deal, as might be supposed from the name, in unlimited Mrs. Darrels. There are very nearly, but not quite, three—the Mrs. Darrel *in posse*, when the climax is reached, being luckily prevented from becoming No. 3—marrying her own father, by the re-appearance of her mother, Mrs. Darrel the first.

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The questionable taste that suggested so unpleasant an incident is apparent throughout the story. There could hardly be a more gruesome conception than Mr. Clare—a man who tortures dogs to death in revenge for his own ill-success in love. To Guy Darrel's father and mother Mr. Clare ascribes all his wrongs. But they have passed beyond the reach of human malignity; so, through his own daughter, the child of a wife whom he had never loved, and Guy Darrel, Mr. Clare works out a cruel scheme of vengeance. He allows them to be constantly together—foreseeing that young, tender-hearted, and susceptible they will fall in love and marry privately, and that then he will break their hearts by parting them for ever. Though in the light of recent events it is undeniable that there are such human monsters as Mr. Clare, it is quite impossible to believe that knowingly a loving husband would, under any stress of circumstances, leave his young wife unguarded for an indefinite time in such hands. This want of common sense in the ordinary characters, more than the extravagant villainy of the other creations of the author, makes the story seem improbable. A man of independent position too, with Guy Darrel's sad experience in his first marriage, would hardly marry a second wife—an unattractive ill-tempered woman who did not even pretend to love him—without a stronger motive than to protect her property from the drain of a selfish, extravagant father. Neither is it conceivable that a girl of ordinary mind would, on the authority of a person whom she knew to be inimical, believe in the report of her husband's death without making definite inquiry, or receiving corroborative evidence. In spite of this unreasonableness, and also of a certain want of continuity in the interlacing of the first and second parts of the story, the author manages to keep up our interest, or rather keeps alive our curiosity, in the fate of Guy Darrel's Wives. If the writing is full of reminiscences of other and better story-tellers the fault of giving us an imitation of good literary work is more tolerable than the creation of a style that has nothing to recommend it but its individuality. An individuality, however, there is in Guy Darrel's Wives which the author evidently hoped to suppress. Besides the tendency to overdo the strong language, there is a contradictory tendency to be goody-goody and preach which is very feminine. Intermingled with a superfluity of great big Ds. are some very admirable sentiments. One of the prospective Mrs. Darrel's says:—

I really do think that, generally, people who have bad parents or children or sisters or brothers, are much more deserving of pity, if only because they can't help themselves—they don't choose their relatives, you see. But a woman who marries a bad ill-conditioned man, just for the sake of being married, or a man who marries a similar sort of woman for her money, may justly be expected to bear their burdens, without making a fuss about it, because mostly they are of their own choosing.

From which it will be inferred how little sympathy the third Mrs. Darrel would have given her husband for his previous ill-success in the matrimonial lottery.

ROULETTE SYSTEMS.—III.

AT first, of course, as became Superior Persons, we treated the Captain's system with contempt. We greeted him with the usual platitudes; and scornfully suggested that he had taken no account of zero. I have observed since that almost everyone who wishes to pose as an authority on Roulette, and as a genius, completely emancipated from the delusions of systems, makes a great point of what he conceives to be an ignorant neglect of zero. It never appears to occur to these wiseacres that men who have given at most as many years to practical experimenting with systems as they have minutes to glib talk on the subject, may have realized both the existence and effect of zero. In point of fact zero is always reckoned with in every system. In systems dealing with even chances it amounts to a half loss, in other systems to one loss extra in 36. But this for the present by the way. But when the Captain claimed that by following his system, two persons backing black and red respectively would both win at the end of an hour we began to yield. This seemed a much more profitable and enjoyable way of spending our furlough, than economizing in scrubby lodgings; and fondly imagining we were seeing life by daring visits to music halls, and patronizing our clubs with desperate persistency. That is another thing I have observed, that the chief aim of an Anglo-Indian on furlough is to get into the stream of what he fondly believes, and what smart papers such as the "Pink'un" and the "Hawk" pronounced to be, real life in London. His heroic efforts to keep up with the gilded youth of London, and to affect a juvenile and man of the world joy in the imbecilities of the music hall stage, always strike me as not less pathetic than his occasional attempts to teach the stock exchange duffers a thing or two. It must be conceded that the youth of England *do* feel a wild joy in the refining strains of Ta-ra-ra: or in the vulgarities of costermonger ditties: if they did not, I suppose the music hall managers would not provide them with that singular material of amusement. But you can't make me believe that middle-aged Anglo-Indians who have spent years in serious and responsible work, and have presumably at some period or other in their lives possessed brains, really care for these popular crazes. Yet they out-herod Herod, or outvie the Cockney clerk, in the zeal and pretended enthusiasm with which they hum and whistle his favourite music. You see it is the fashion; it implies that they are in the swim—and rollicking young dogs after all (in spite of their tottering limbs and yellow skins), every whit as good and intellectual and "smart" as Blobbs or Bibbs or Hawshawd. God rest their poor old livers! But here again I am digressing. As I was saying, the Captain converted us by degrees, and we consented to respite him from the sudden death we had prepared for him. We left him in undisturbed possession of his three victims, and applied ourselves from morning to night to testing this wonderful system. The more we saw of it the more we liked it. The Colonel abandoned whist (for which I personally was extremely thankful), and sat secluded in a corner with a note-book and a pack of cards. At each meal he would total up his winnings and make our mouths water. That is one of the beauties of experimenting with systems. It gives you such a pleasurable sensation of unlimited wealth! When you have been at work for a couple of hours or so, and your book shows that you would have had that "would have"!) won some £20 or £30, who can blame you if you indulge in champagne and regard the moribund rupee with callous indifference? We all looked upon the Colonel with jealousy. He had no ties, no expectant spouse and hungry children awaiting him: his time was his own, and by comparison with the rest of us he seemed a Crœsus. So that we were not surprised, although we did not like it, to hear that he had changed his plans and instead of going to Venice, would make straight for Monte Carlo, where he intended to live as long as the funds of the Bank held out. We implored him to be moderate: to think of us, and not to exhaust the wealth which we all felt we had a substantial right to share. The young Civilian and myself discussed the situation frequently. We were puzzled to understand why with this gold mine at his feet, so to speak, the Captain had called us in to snatch the fruits of his ingenuity from him. Why had he not anticipated the Colonel? Why was he travelling above the world with a four-handed chess-board, when he might be living in a splendid villa on the maritime Alps and draining the stuffed pockets of Mons. Blanc? It is true that our enthusiasm over his system had excited a corresponding flame in his breast. He was as eager as now as any of us. So much so, in fact, that he occasionally let the Archdeacon and O. off their daily penance—when the poor exhausted creatures would stretch themselves at once on the deck with grateful sighs and sink into lethargic slumbers. But when he had first broached the subject it was impossible to believe that he had very much confidence in his system or took any interest in it. Had we tried it, and found it wanting? But if so, why was he now so keen about it? So plainly regretful that he had imparted this priceless knowledge to us? It evidently was a broad and easy road to affluence; witness the sheets and sheets of figures which we turned out every day, with 36 red and black cards doing duty for the Roulette board and the Ace of Spades representing zero—figures which showed a balance of sums ranging from £20 to £280 to our credit with the most fascinating regularity. We said to each other in awe-struck whispers that £50 a day meant £18,250 a year, (the Captain explained that play went on on Sundays just the same as other days) and this was an income that none of us could really afford to despise. We arranged schemes by which we would take turns at playing and so relieve each other, dividing the profits, of course, at the end of the year. What *was* the use of returning to India and starving, while we had this certainty of immense wealth awaiting us? And still the Colonel sat in corners, and worked out his profits. And still he grinned triumphantly and in a nasty spirit of selfishness, as I thought, at the reflection that he would be there at least three weeks before any of us. Fifty pounds a day for three weeks. Sundays included! It made us wild—wilder than we ever had been with the Captain and his chess iniquities. I wonder at our self-restraint; it is surprising that the avaricious Colonel lived to reach Brindisi. If we had not had undefined suspicions of that system he never would. But we *couldn't* believe that if the thing was as sound as it looked the Captain would have been such an unspeakable ass (we allowed that he was a bit of an ass, but not so bad as all that) as to have given it away to a ship-load of unsympathetic strangers: men, too, who openly scoffed at and despised his beloved four-handed chess. Well, as I have said, we parted at Brindisi. The Colonel made straight off into the dark black night *en route* for Monte Carlo, and I have never seen him again. He wasn't there when I reached that delightful rock, par excellence, the "angulus ridens" of the earth. In my opinion, may be, they found him too expensive and he either had been privately assassinated, or deported from Monaco. The ways of the Grimaldis are dark, and the account that has yet to be written of what becomes of the successful gamblers may prove to be of startling blood-curdling interest. But he had not, it is certain, had time to deplete the Bank according to his amiable and lofty ambition. There was plenty of money left when I was there; but no Colonel. Well, the young civilian and I travelled as far as Paris, where that gay young dog got out of the train quite casually, and did not get in again. The sirens of the city had sung their fatal songs I suppose; and the poor wanderer had forgotten the way. But though I lost touch by degrees of all the men who had expressed their unalterable determination to stand or fall by that system, I had the system itself—the nucleus of my coming fortune. I rated it a great deal higher than my cholera prophylactic bill; the striking merits of which (one of the principal being that for a half penny you could easily make a shilling's worth of the priceless remedy) I could not persuade any enterprising chemist to recognize; at least in a practical way. Arrived in the bosom of my family I explained that though in outward aspect little better than a pauper or a savage, I carried with me the potentialities of wealth beyond the dreams of avarice. They probably thought at first that the Indian sun . . . you know, but when I had invested in a tectotum and sat down to a good long evening explanation of the great system I soon had a band of the most ardent disciples. And now having led you gently to the point, my indulgent readers, where you might of course expect me to be off without delay to put this transcendently promising theory into practice, I may as well explain why after all I discarded it, and seemed for a time to be as far off as ever from milking *that* Golden Cow. I suppose amongst us we had played out about a couple of thousand systems, with success; and our experience confirmed us in our first impression that with a capital of £250 one might in this way easily make from £20 to £50 a day. Not once so far had we been "burst." The system stood every strain triumphantly. We had a fac-simile Roulette board by now instead of the tectotum or the cards: and every night we used to work steadily, often into the small hours of the winter mornings, with the object of discovering the strength and weakness of the mysterious "four fives."

I need scarcely say that we also knew a good deal more about systems generally than the members of the ship's company, who had listened to and been fascinated by the Captain's tale. Things had come to this point that a friend and myself were actually going to start the next day from Dublin for Monte Carlo to give the system a trial; in spite of the fact that we knew its theoretical weak points to a hair. For we had never yet found it break down in practice, and if we were to have the same luck at the tables as we had at home we should have made our capital four or five times over. And that seemed good enough for a chance. But that very night, the last night, too, before our proposed start, the system collapsed actually in practice as this dear old system will at times. And that being the case we recognized that there was nothing to have prevented the breakdown occurring on our first venture as well as on our 2,500th. Moreover our mathematical calculations, worked out by one of the cleverest men in Dublin, had never quite satisfied us that the odds in our favor upon this system were quite long enough to make it worth the trouble and risk of playing. So we said good-bye with profound regret and considerable respect to "Labouchere." It is nevertheless a very fairly safe system as these things go; and you would have very bad luck if you were broke on it before you had won your original capital at least. The series in which the system broke down was something of this sort. You must remember that we had fixed the capital at £250 as being the longest odds we could reasonably lay the table at the opening of every series on the calculated chances. Well, after going along in and out for a long time we come to figures, let us say of this nature $\frac{50}{350}$ Between 50 and 300 the intermediates had been crossed out. The stake is 400=350 + 50, which we win. This leaves 300 by itself; and here suppose a run of only ten against you, and you are hopelessly broke. Nor is there any satisfactory way of modifying this system as you can modify Montant et Descendant. At the best it is a very slow system and modified, for safety, it is interminable.

ERMEITE.

HYDERABAD NEWS.

(FROM A CORRESPONDENT.)

DURING May last Syed Siraj-ul-Hussun, Subhedar, N. Division, while on tour visited Bidar, which forms the northern section of the province under his Subhedarship, and which was once the capital of the Bahmani King. While there, he was presented by the members of the Bidar Club with an address, in reply to which he was pleased to observe that he was very well acquainted with the history and the condition of the club, and that he appreciated the work done in connection with it by the officials of the place. The club, he said, was founded in the year 1298 Fasli, when the Subhedar of Bidar was Syed Abdulla K. Sahib, who, along with other works of public utility, had left behind him, as a sort of memorial, this club, as well as the new addition made to the market, named Mahbab Jang Bazaar. The market was, of course, brought to its present flourishing condition in the Hijri year 1299, when he, Syed Siraj-ul-Hussun, was the Talookdar of the place, as could be seen from the date inscribed on the arch of the main-gate of the Bazaar.

As great stress was laid in the address on the club affording the members the means of recreation, Syed Siraj-ul-Hussun further observed that a club of this sort was not merely meant for a place of recreation, but that it served in a great degree to promote good fellowship between officials of all grades, as well as between officials and the other high and respectable men of the place, to the great benefit and improvement of all concerned. Finally, after thanking the club for the honour done to him in presenting him with an address, and after expressing a hope that the club would continue to be in a flourishing state, Syed Siraj-ul-Hussun begged to point out to the officials present that, side by side with the improvement of the club, much other work was to be done for the improvement of the district, such as the construction of roads between Bidar, Digwal, Rajoora, and Dharoor, the planting of trees on both sides of these roads and the repairing of tanks, situated at Kamthana, Mirzapore, and Soyalpore, as well as keeping in good condition the Jhils or natural reservoirs of Khanapore. He expressed his readiness to assist towards the completion of such works of public benefit, not only in his official capacity as Subhedar, but in his private capacity too. He had already applied to the Government for the construction and the repairs of the roads, and was ready to do the same thing with reference to the tanks when the estimates and plans were got ready. He was perfectly sure that the Government of his Highness, that had ever been known for its love of justice and for its regards for the people, would never be backward in the matter of improving the condition of the tanks, since irrigation was universally acknowledged to be the life and soul of agricultural prosperity.

THE MAURITIUS FUND.

A FUND has been started in aid of the sufferers by the cyclone, which has devastated the colony of Mauritius, causing widespread ruin and great loss of life, and subscriptions are earnestly asked for. As a reason for appealing to the public here, it may be stated that over two-thirds of the population of the colony are natives of India.

The following amounts have already been promised, and further subscriptions will be received by Messrs. Mackinnon, Mackenzie and Co., Green-street, Bombay, or by Mr. Allen C. Stewart, Engineer Agent for Mauritius, 12, Garden Reach, Calcutta.

	Rs.
His Excellency the Viceroy	200
His Excellency the Governor of Bombay	200
His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor of the North-West Provinces	100
Messrs Mackinnon, Mackenzie and Co	200
" Gillanders, Arbuthnot and Co	100
" Graham and Co	100
" Harton and Co	100
" Jardine, Skinner and Co	100
" Turner, Morrison and Co	100
" Balfour, Lowdon and Co	50
Mr Allen C Stewart	200
Surgeon-Major R C Sanders, MD	16
Mr C W Bolton, C P	16
A Friend	16
Mr A F Gregory (Francis Allen and Co)	10
Messrs Sutram Huriram and Co	10
Messrs Ewart, Latham and Co	100
Mr Bomonjee Dhunjibhoy	50
Protector of Emigrants, Bombay	20
Messrs. Ralli Brothers	100
A Parsee	5
H. H. The Maharaja of Bhownagar	500
Sir Dinshaw Maneckjee Petit, Bart	200
Mr. Framjee Dinshaw Petit	50
Mr. Bomanjee Dinshaw Petit	50
Bai Diubai, widow of the late Nusserwanjee Maneckjee Petit	300

TO THE EDITOR OF THE "BOMBAY GAZETTE."

SIR,—In accordance with the request contained in a note I have received to-day from the Mauritius Government Emigration Agency at Calcutta, I have decided that the Offertories at the services at St. Thomas' Cathedral on Sunday next shall be devoted to the "Mauritius Cyclone Fund."

As there is no time to let this be known except by means of the public Press, I shall be obliged if you will kindly insert this letter in your next issue.

I may add that any subscriptions towards the object named forwarded to me or the Clerk at the Cathedral, by members of the congregation unable to be present will be duly added to the Offertories for the day.—I have, &c.,

A. YORK BROWNE,
Acting Senior Presidency Chaplain.

June 17.

PALI HILL GUN CLUB.

THE subjoined figures give the results of last Saturday's clay-pigeon shooting competition of the Pali Hill Gun Club:—

BEST OF 5 BIRDS.

Yards.		Birds shot at				Killed.
17½	Mr J L Croft	1	1	1	1	5
15	Mr P B Savile	1	1	1	1	5
19½	Brig-Surg Banks	1	1	1	1	4
16	Mr C Ross	1	1	1	0	4
15	Mr E L Barton	0	1	1	1	3
12	Mr E E Steel	0	1	1	0	2
17	Mr C H B Forbes	0	1	0	0	1

BEST OF 3 BIRDS.

15½	Mr P B Savile	1	1	1	3
19½	Brig-Surg Banks	1	0	1	2
18	Mr J L Croft	1	0	1	2
15	Mr E L Barton	1	0	1	2
17	Mr C H B Forbes	1	1	0	2
12	Mr E E Steel	0	1	0	1
15	Mr C Ross	0	1	0	1

BEST OF 5 BIRDS.

19½	Brig-Surg Banks	1	1	1	0	4
18	Mr J L Croft	1	1	0	1	4
12	Mr E E Steel	1	0	1	1	3
16½	Mr P B Savile	0	1	0	1	3
15	Mr E L Barton	0	1	1	1	3
17	Mr C H B Forbes	0	1	0	1	2
15	Mr C Ross	1	1	0	0	2

BEST OF 3 BIRDS.

11	Mr E E Steel	1	1	1	3
14	Mr E L Barton	1	1	1	3
18½	Mr J L Croft	1	1	1	3
20	Brig-Surg

AN OLD-WORLD PHILOSOPHER.

Under the above title a writer in *Temple Bar* reviews "Chuang Tzu: Mystic, Moralist, and Social Reformer," which has recently been translated from the Chinese, from which the following is an extract:—

In the time of Confucius there died a certain Tzu Kung, one of the brotherhood of three. As soon as he had been buried off Tzu Kung's [illegible] he hurried off Tzu Kung to take part in the mourning [illegible] the house, was astonished, [illegible] to hear music in the [illegible] back to us, Hui [illegible] back to us, Hui! [illegible] turned his head, [illegible] there as of—alas! [illegible] with horror, he rushed in, [illegible] sing by the dead, [illegible] of a corpse? Is this [illegible] locked at one another, [illegible] What should this man [illegible]?" The true significance [illegible] the poor, materialistic Con[illegible] to them.

[illegible]ze, which reads for all the [illegible]cene of Hamlet, Chuang Tzu [illegible] imparted to himself. [illegible]mble on a skull, and, striking [illegible]gan to moralise upon the [illegible] of the being upon whose [illegible]d. Then overcome by fatigue, [illegible]cing it beneath his head as [illegible]reamed that the skull opened [illegible]n speak well, sir, but all you [illegible] of mortals, and to mortal [illegible]are none of these. Would [illegible]th?"

[illegible]at he would, whereupon the [illegible]im of the existence of souls [illegible] their happiness far excelled [illegible] earth.—Still Chuang Tzu re[illegible]xperience of men had taught [illegible]f life as their very strongest [illegible]efore silly pressed the question [illegible]at would once more grow hair [illegible]he would not be willing to [illegible] disembodiment for the canker [illegible].

[illegible]ened its eyes wide and knitted [illegible]flow should I cast aside happi[illegible]t of a king, and mingle once [illegible]roubles of mortality?'"

[illegible]n convinced that weeping and [illegible]west forms of grief. To ne[illegible]thout snivelling, and the last [illegible]ave made an advance towards [illegible]e death as a victory is so have

[illegible]pecies, the philosopher is an [illegible]win, he traces life up from the [illegible]eems to give the horse prefer[illegible]arrives, in due course, at the [illegible]fter death the material body [illegible]rocess of germination, and may [illegible]up a hole to keep the wind [illegible]heerfully put it to Tzu Lai, [illegible]door and watching the death [illegible]. "Verily, God is great! [illegible]ake of you now. Do you think [illegible] rat's liver or into the shoulders [illegible]rily to the howling wife and [illegible]ne! You balk his decomposi[illegible]

[illegible]ver, to arriving at any decision [illegible]ths eyes of Chuang Tzu, the [illegible] of certainty. For instance, [illegible] who asked Wang I, "Do you [illegible]all things are subjectively the [illegible]

[illegible]' answered Wang I. "Do you [illegible]know?"

[illegible]" replied Yeh Ch'ueh. "But [illegible]own?"

[illegible]?" said Wang I. "Nevertheless. How can it be known that [illegible]s not really not knowing, and [illegible]owing is not really knowing? [illegible]is. If a man sleeps in a damp [illegible], and dies. But how about an [illegible]a tree is precarious, and trying [illegible]about monkeys? Of the man, [illegible]ey, whose habitat is the right [illegible]I still pauses for a reply.

[illegible]P OF THE ROMAN [illegible]PERORS.

[illegible], at first timid, was reserved [illegible], adoration of whom had been [illegible] Aurelian extended the wor[illegible]. As this cult advanced, writes [illegible]ained a greater influence over [illegible]ger the ideas of Greece which [illegible]ose of the Semitic races, [illegible]ected religions. The [illegible]nd their feast-day, [illegible] their names had [illegible]ods. On this [illegible]self to the [illegible]ntain it [illegible]ntial [illegible]great [illegible]tremi[illegible]omena [illegible]explain, th[illegible]ate inces[illegible]ties to increas[illegible] own safety [illegible]the evils the[illegible] phenomena [illegible]ace had created, almost [illegible]he worship of heroes; [illegible] of ancestors; by [illegible]doration of those who [illegible]e popular apotheoses, [illegible]reflection, were replaced [illegible]re, and which required [illegible]ined to be taken. In the [illegible]ther, and there appeared

[illegible]CH CRIMINAL IS [illegible]IDENTIFIED.

[illegible] if previously apprehended by the [illegible]thum a minute. A practical [illegible] the system was given me, in com[illegible] other visitors, the other day. A [illegible]th of twenty years of the 'souteneur' [illegible]n brought to the depot on a charge [illegible]or confidence trick. To the question, [illegible]en here before?" a sullen "No" was [illegible]me?" "Leon Renault," which appro[illegible]tity of a former Prefect of Police and [illegible]ctor caused a general flutter. In [illegible]e the alleged first offender was put [illegible]ration process, which the lad rather [illegible]round that he was not there "to be [illegible]M. Renault" was quickly [illegible]were

A HUNDRED YEARS HENCE.

In a hundred years from now, according to a French scientist, great industries, as a general thing, will have crushed out small industries, and machines will have completely replaced hand labour. The price of manufactures of wool, of cotton, of paper will keep constantly getting lower by reason of the immense quantities easily produced. Objects in iron, in steel, in aluminium, in nickel, in silver, will be astonishingly cheap. One can form some idea of this cheapness by comparing the price of a watch to-day with the price of one forty years ago.

Carriages drawn by horses will be replaced, in part at least, by steam or electric carriages. There will be steam velocipedes and electric velocipedes. Electric tramways will connect villages. Printing will be very cheap; for there will be composing machines, and paper will be almost valueless. Lamps, clocks, watches, sewing-machines, writing-machines, glass, porcelain, will be produced at a very low price. All this cheapness, be it understood, will apply to things in ordinary use only. Objects of art or of artistic industry will be extremely costly. Everything made of wood or rough stone will be very dear; for wood and rough stones will be scarce, and, besides, the fall in prices for objects in general use will coincide with an enormous increase in price for objects of great luxury.

Buildings will be of iron. Even houses in the country will be of that material. Theatres, palaces, museums, universities will be immense edifices of iron, and the cutting of stone, so beloved by architects, will be done away with. The end of the twentieth century will be truly the age of coal and iron, and people will laugh at the folly of the architects of our day who have obstinately persevered from the most disinterested motives, doubtless, in using stone and brick for the buildings they are employed to erect.

The art of the engineer will have made incomparable progress. The Isthmus of Panama will be pierced as well as the Isthmus of Corinth and the Isthmus of Malacca. A tunnel will connect England and France. There will be a Baltic canal, a canal from the Gulf of Lyons to the Gulf of Gascony: perhaps even a tunnel or a colossal viaduct will connect Europe and Africa across the Straits of Gibraltar. The great rivers will be enlarged so that vessels of large tonnage can navigate them. Paris will be a seaport like London. In a word, the barriers which nature has put between peoples will disappear more and more, thanks to the triumphant force of industry.

Chemistry will exercise its power over alimentary industries—the manufacture of sugar and alcohol. The meat of Australia and South America, preserved by chemical processes, will reach Europe with all its sweetness and freshness intact.

As to photography, it cannot be doubted that, long before the year 1892, we shall be able to photograph colours instantaneously. That will probably be the acme of this admirable invention; for when it shall be possible to reproduce instantly, by photography, objects with all their colour and relief, it is not perceptible that there will be anything more for photography to do.

WHAT CONSTITUTES A MINERAL.

The question whether marble is a mineral has recently been discussed according to *Iron*. Whether marble is or is not "a mineral" depends upon the circumstances under which the term is used and the definition. Strictly speaking, a mineral is a substance of definite composition, representing a mineral species, and minerals are the constituents of rocks. While a rock may consist of a single mineral only such is not necessarily or *generally* the case; and the name rock always implies a more or less intimate mixture of accessory minerals than the specific mineral name. Thus, as Dr. W. Raymond points out, quartz is the name of a mineral, and quartzite is the name of a rock composed chiefly of quartz. If we use the rock name, quartzite, we imply two things not implied by the mineral name, quartz, to wit, a considerable mass of the mineral constituting a respectable element in the earth's crust, and a varying degree of admixture with other minerals. Similarly, felsite is the rock of which feldspar is the chief mineral. New carbonate of lime under the name of calcite or calcspar is a mineral; and marble is a rock composed chiefly of this mineral. Some marbles are almost perfectly pure carbonate of lime; but the word marble does not necessarily imply such purity; and, in fact, many marbles contain other constituents. Marble is, according to Dana, a limestone fit for polishing or for architectural or ornamental use; and many varieties, such as shell-marble, ruin-marble, breccia-marble, &c., contain iron-oxide, quartz, clay, and other minerals. The argument that a substance must be a mineral because it is not an animal or a vegetable, is not conclusive without reference to the circumstances and context. What we term the mineral kingdom is more properly called inorganic; and whether the word mineral, in a given case, is synonymous with inorganic can only be determined by the context. In that sense, air might be said to be mineral in character, but we do not say that air is a mineral.

"EYES FOR EARS."

"Speech is the key of intercourse; it is the essence of life." So said Canon Scott Holland at the meeting of the Ealing Society for the Education of the Deaf, which was held at Lambeth Palace last week. The [illegible] day in this—that the life was [illegible] there full and vigorous, but choked for want of speech. [illegible] speech the deaf and dumb [illegible] this need [illegible] Ealing Society was instituted to meet. Its success has been so great that "it has been proved by abundant examples that their disabilities can be cancelled, and the born 'deaf' and reputed 'dumb' can be restored to their active places in a hearing and speaking world." A striking instance was mentioned by Canon Scott Holland of a young relative of his, who, born deaf, has been made by this speech system practically the equal of his hearing friends, and transacts the ordinary business of life with little apparent difficulty. Perhaps most convincing to the large gathering at Lambeth Palace was the group of deaf pupils from the College, who answered readily and clearly all questions addressed to them, and intelligently responded to the remarks made to them by visitors. The College, in the fourteen years of its existence, has sent out about sixty certificated teachers, and even yet the demand exceeds the supply. Deaf and "dumb" pupils of some of these teachers have passed—as high as the fifth standard—the Board Schools examinations, being examined by her Majesty's inspectors with and under exactly the same conditions as hearing children. The need of compulsory education for all deaf children is great. A resolution was passed urging the Government to [illegible]ey during the present session a bill framed on the [illegible]rt of the late Royal Commission, which strongly [illegible]orsed this "oral" method of teaching.

A FIRE-BALL.

[illegible]Science," of April 20, prints the following account [illegible] fire-ball, by C. C. Bayley:—"A telephone wire [illegible]supported on cedar posts, 20 feet high and 20 rods [illegible]t. During August, 1889, we had a thunderstorm, [illegible]ring which there was a sharp and heavy crash. [illegible]Several of the poles were found to have been struck, [illegible]and portions to have been taken out through their entire length. One of the[illegible] portions, of the size of a medium rail, was thrown into an adjoining field some rods from the pole. Portions from the others were smaller and more or less shattered. Near the southernmost pole struck, a family were in a house with doors [illegible]house were open, and a luminous ball seemed to leap [illegible]from the [illegible]ose through the open door and a window, and pursue its course some rods through the open [illegible]pace behind the house. A boy in the room grasped [illegible]his right arm and cried out: 'I'm struck,' and Mr. Howorth [illegible]felt a sensation of numbness in his left arm for some time. A girl seized her shawl and rushed out of the house to chase the ball. She reported that she pursued it some distance, while it bounded lightly along, until it seemed to be dissipated in the air without an [illegible]. The size of the ball was about that of the [illegible] velocity about that of a ball thrown

FEMININE FACTS AND FANCIES.

FACES AT TWENTY-FIVE AND FIFTY.

If I could not have both, I had rather have an attractive face at fifty than at twenty-five (writes a lady). The one at twenty-five might marry me, but the one at fifty would show that I was worth marrying. With a homely face at twenty-five the fair ones might vote me into single blessedness, but the fine face at fifty would show them what a mistake they had made. My face at twenty-five is the one God has given me. My face at fifty is the one that I have furnished myself. The old man's face is a history; the young man's face is a prophecy—a kind of conditional prophecy. The old man's face is a fact about himself; the young man's face is a theory—a dream in feature, one of nature's vague guesses of what he can do with himself. I love old faces; they are always true. The old man's face is his autobiography; it is his life in miniature. A face is the scenery of the soul, the camera of our thoughts; although we have not really seen a face until our hearts have followed the whole repertoire of its expressions, yet each man's habitual face, as the general expression of himself, is as if a composite had been taken, and the soul had had a thousand sittings, each negative differing in its way, but all combined resulting in this one. Why should a man be ashamed of his wrinkles? It is being ashamed not of what he seems, but of what he is. Wrinkles in a man's face are a kind of orthography, nature's handwriting, the shorthand of features, in which the main ideas of a man's life are set down without his knowing it, and in spite of himself, and in the very midst of his denials.

A NEW TEA-GOWN.

The original of this was, I confess, writes a lady correspondent, made in rich and beautiful materials, but I am going to show you how easily you can reproduce it at quite a trifling cost, and with very nearly quite as good an effect. And now, at the risk of appearing monotonous, I am obliged to revert to lace, for everything is made of or trimmed with it, and the imitations are really more worn than the real points, which few of us possess in any very large quantity. Suppose you get one of the pretty printed woollen fabrics that I have mentioned above for wherewith to make the sides, you will see that a very small quantity is wanted, as they are little more than straight pieces, slightly shaped into the figure at the sides. The front is of the coral pink, for which a thin alpaca, or even sateen is good enough, as it has to be shrouded from neck to feet in cream lace. The sleeves are made in puffs of the same pink, and veiled with lace, a frill of which finishes each and hangs deeper at the back of the elbow. The principal feature is the curious kind of Swiss belt made of black silk in front that holds the full under-dress in to the waist, and is composed of black ribbon caught up to a rosette at the back of the neck ruffles. Just from underneath this pretty arrangement issue the folds of the Watteau back, which, like the front, is of cream lace by the piece) over the pink sateen. A sabots frill completes the ruffles at the neck, and, I think you will agree with me, a very pretty and inexpensive tea gown.

THE NEW FOULARDS.

The "St. James's Gazette," in its "Woman's World" says:—Some of the new foulards now worn are charmingly dainty. Two sisters, Lady Elcho and Miss Wyndham, selling, at the Royal School of Art, needlework the other day, wore pretty spring-like dresses. The white ground was sparingly flowered with butterups, with a touch of green showing in the stalks and one tiny leaf. Ribbons of a truly vernal green encircled the waist, and the deep graceful frill of lace that went round the shoulders was surmounted by crossing strands of green and buttercup ribbons. One sister wore with this a large black straw hat trimmed with quilled lisse and black ostrich-plumes; a rich shotgreen moire ribbon being the only touch of brightness. Black hats are much worn with light dresses; and, indeed, they contrast very becomingly with them. Other two sisters in bright pink wore black crinoline straw hats, with pink ostrich-tips lying all round the brim and a knot of pink velvet ribbon falling on the hair behind. Silks wax more radiant every day. Serpentine stripes are much in favour, and different coloured satinstripes on a dark ground have their adherents; while one of the newest and strongest has a sort of firework pattern. It looks like forked lightning gone mad on a black sky—or ground. The pretty dark spotted foulards that are always in fashion are being made up with bright coloured sleeves to match with spot; a veiling of lace or net being used when the colour is very bright.

SKIRT DANCING.

Skirt-dancing, says "Woman," is at the moment undeniably a recognised accomplishment among girls and young married women of the well-to-do classes. This at first somewhat alarming departure is probably due to a considerable extent to the rage not only for novelty, but for a novelty that is startling. Perhaps the evolution of the solo dance is really a revolution brought about by the unjust oppression of the dancing-man. The dancing-man is, as everyone knows, a rare product, and has been fawned upon by hostesses, smiled upon by mothers with danceable daughters, and adored by the [illegible]dansuse whom he has rescued from the monotony of wall-flower existence, until he has become almost insolent in regard to the dancing function. But the girl of the present is nothing if she is not independent, and a new declaration of rights in regard to the pursuit of happiness has been proclaimed in the solo dance. She has shown him that a ball without dancingmen is not the dismal failure it is popularly represented to be. Before long the amateur skirt-dancer will be as great a nuisance as the amateur reciter. The amusement is likely to outlive many seasons, and so long as it is kept within bounds it is not likely to do society very much harm or very much good.

THE AMERICAN GIRL.

A writer in the Philadelphia "Lady's Home Journal" thus describes the typical American girl. Without half trying she can hold three men in conversation at the same time, and direct the course of the talk and her pretty glances so as to include them all. If the English girl is an expert whip, the American girl is a perfect master of the art of conversation. She knows just where a dash of pepper will fit best, and no creature on the globe can in a drawing-room serve such a palatable conversational salad of vinegar and cress. I have often stood in perfect admiration of some bright, fresh American girl holding the interest and attention of a whole knot of clever men with a perfect stream of explosive ejaculations which were simply delicious in the fact of their meaning apparently so much in action, and yet conveying so little in substance. Those of us who are more serious may sneer and make little of what is known as "society small talk," but the correct handling of it is an art which very few acquire. To say a good deal and mean very little is not an easy thing to do, and at this the American girl is an expert. I do not mean to infer by this that the American girl is superficial. She is not. As a rule, she can handle a brainy, ethical topic with almost the same dexterity as she can a passing morsel of society gossip. But she has the art of adaptation.

A DAINTY LAMPSHADE

Is a thing that those housewives who like to see their dinner and drawing-room tables pretty are always on the look-out for. Here is one which I think you will acknowledge is novel, and I hope pretty. It can be easily made at home, for it only consists of little penny-a-yard ribbons in three different colours. At the end of each is sewn a round bead or button, which just acts as a heavy enough little weight to keep it down straight. Bows of the mixed ribbons are sewn round at the upper and lower edges as a kind of trimming. Of course, everything depends on the taste displayed in the choice of colours. They should be chosen carefully, and not of very dark tints, but only of those through which the light of a lamp shines easily and with good effect.

AN UNSHRINKABLE FABRIC.

I have received some most fascinating patterns of an unshrinkable fabric. (I like patterns; don't you? They are so nice to look through and examine, and one conjures up in one's "poor, weak, womanly" mind all the [illegible] possibilities of how they would appear made up). You were so kind as to be much pleased by what I said of the Irish frizes some little while ago for winter wear; will you equally trust my taste and recommendation of these pretty and thick as our cold weather serges. Now this is exactly what the winceys I am writing to you about are not—they are woolly enough for you to unable to catch cold in them, and they are thin [illegible]ough to be no weight nor heat to you. The width [illegible] varies from thirty to thirty-two inches and [illegible] from one shilling and eight pence a [illegible]. The makers, whose names I [illegible] You write for them, will [illegible] free, if you get as much [illegible]e material.

[illegible] IN THE WORLD.

[illegible]untry in the world save [illegible]ch a daylight show can [illegible]sion of ladies to Her [illegible] Buckingham Palace. [illegible] wonder that, after [illegible]st wind of the rare [illegible]usly just at their [illegible]k in thousands to [illegible]he weather some[illegible] disappointment [illegible]made up for [illegible]ednesday. Inno[illegible]tes" possibly wince a trifle under [illegible]ize and free criticism of King Demos, but [illegible] hands without a doubt derive considerable [illegible]sure from the ordeal. The simple truth is that [illegible]ey feel it is hardly worth while to dress so bravely [illegible] an early hour in the day for the mere satisfaction of a glance from Royalty, a brief display of their splendour and charms to ladies of their own class in the waiting-rooms, and a paragraph in a Society paper. The preliminary canter through the streets, lined with appreciative spectators, gives them a real opportunity of a triumph. It has all the advantages of an appearance on the music-hall stage without any of the attendant scandals.

RESUSCITATED.

The old-fashioned cross-over has been resuscitated. I came across it at two places this week. In the first instance it was made of red silk with [illegible] and black lace trimmings; in the second it was composed of soft cream lace of fine quality and jewelled passementerie, with a sash of broad white ribbon at the back. The most amazingly fine thing in the way of summer jackets is of [illegible] lace (unlined), with enormous sleeves and zouave of black velvet showered over with little green sequins. It is confined at the waist by a band of bright green silk, and has a close-fitting collar to match.

UP TO DATE.

If you are bent on being quite up to date in the matter of millinery, you will have a bonnet and cape to match for grand occasions. The latest French novelty to be seen in the windows is a bonnet of cream point de Venise, with strings of bright yellow satin, and a little cluster of white tips in front, fastened on with a paste buckle. It is accompanied by a lace cape reaching to the waist, with long yellow ribbons in front. The newest toque is a mortar-board of cream lace trimmed with a bunch of cornflowers and having a bandeau of velvet the same colour for a crown. A fleur-de-lis arrangement of feathers is much worn both on hats and gowns. One of the daintiest bonnets seen lately was composed of black lace and a wreath of pink roses with strings formed entirely of rosebuds. Mourning-bonnets are made wonderfully attractive. The prettiest consists of three jet stars and a very small quantity of soft black lace. Roses are perhaps more popular than any other flower just now.

LITERARY, DRAMATIC, AND MUSICAL.

AN ABSOLUTE NOVELTY.

The next absolute novelty at Covent Garden will be Mr. Isidore de Lara's "Light of Asia," curiously enough, although the work of an English librettist, and of an English musician, to be performed in the Italian tongue, under the title of "La Luce dell' Asia." The chorus and principals have the opera in study and it is expected that it will be ready for production the week after next. It was originally intended that the part of the hero Siddartha should be entrusted to M. Maurel, who rehearsed it last season, and who recently introduced selections from it at a concert in Italy. The role is, however, now allotted to M. Lassalle, who is due in London next week while Madame Eames will be the heroine Yaso, dhara; M. Planqon will be the Brahmin, M. Castelmary, the King, and Miss Burt the confidante Gunga. "The Light of Asia," adapted by Mr. Beattie Kingston from Sir Edwin Arnold's book, was originally intended as an oratorio or cantata, but early last year it was adapted as a "sacred legend," and it was then proposed to give it with some "dramatic illustration," in concert guise on the stage of Drury Lane. Last May, a large portion of the work was sung by M. Maurel and Madame Eames before the Princess of Wales at the house of the Duchess of Manchester, and it was then decided to place it in operatic form upon the stage of the Royal Italian Opera. An excellent Italian adaptation was made by Signor Mazzucato in the very brief space of nine days. At the last moment, however, the rehearsals were deemed insufficient and the production was postponed till the present season.

SMOKING IN THEATRES.

The question of smoking in theatres and variety halls is being investigated by a committee, but nobody seems to have asked the question why tobacco should be deemed injurious to the best interests of the drama, while it is held by the highest in the land to be harmless in the case of classical music. It would be interesting, for example, to have the evidence of the Prince of Wales, whether at the smoking concerts of the Royal Amateur Orchestra, his intellectual enjoyment of a symphony (at any rate, now that his Royal Highness of Edinburgh has relinquished public violin playing) is disturbed by the aroma of a cigar. I must confess I have seen the Prince, accompanied by other Royal personages, seated at Prince's Hall around the smoking-tables while listening to some of the best examples of symphonic music discoursed by the Stock Exchange Orchestral Society, and I am bound to add that H.R.H. appeared a good deal better pleased and interested than at a Monday Popular Concert.

A LONDON MUSICAL EXHIBITION.

A "London Musical Exhibition" is, we learn, to be held, under the direction of Mr. John Black, at Prince's Hall, from July 18 to July 30. The exhibits will, of course, consist chiefly of musical instruments old and new; but, learning experience from previous exhibitions of a similar character, the instruments will not only be looked at, but will be tested at morning rehearsals, at afternoon pianoforte and other recitals, and at evening concerts. Included in the scheme are concerts of old music played upon harpsichords and other instruments of that period.

NAMING A PLAY.

A playwright's choice of names appears to be in the eyes of American play-goers a serious matter. "Deborah," it will be remembered, had to be changed to "Leah" because the former name is a common appellation for a negress. It now appears from Mr. Malcolm Salaman's preface to "Lady Bountiful," just published by Mr. Heinemann, that the production of this comedy in New York placed Mr. Pinero, or rather his American manager, in a similar difficulty. The name of the hero of this piece is Dennis Heron; but Mr. Frohman found it absolutely necessary to change it to Donald Heron. The reason given is that in New York "Dennis" is used as the proverbial designation for a man who is always left behind, and, therefore, it was not considered advisable to bestow it on the romantic hero of a new play. In Boston, on the other hand, there is no such prejudice; so here "Donald" became Dennis again.

THE MCKINLEY TARIFF ON BOOKS.

The American Custom House authorities decided last year that under a clause in the McKinley Tariff Act, the exemption from duty of old books only applies to books that have been printed "and bound" more than twenty years before the importation, and, moreover, that such binding includes re-binding. It would even appear that this applies also to photographs, engravings, maps, and charts—classes of publications which it is not usual to bind at all. As might be expected, this interpretation is causing much practical inconvenience. The New York "Nation" points out that it is not the custom to date book binding, and the most expert knowledge will not enable one to be sure of the age of any piece of binding, for books bound forty or fifty years ago, if kept in cases excluding heat and dust, will look fresher than others whose bindings of but five or ten years have been exposed to the action of light, dust, and gas. As this authority observes, nobody is helped by these vexatious hindrances. The simple result is to discourage the importation of old books.

THE DARWINIAN THEORY.

Mr. Romanes, the friend of Darwin and his able exponent, publishes through Messrs. Longmans, Green, and Co., the first of a series of three works under the title of Darwin [illegible] after Darwin, an exposition of the Darwinian [illegible] and a discussion of post-Darwinian questions. [illegible]lume now issued is devoted to the [illegible] organic evolution as it was [illegible]ons labors. This exposition [illegible] to be of service to [illegible] without an element [illegible] science. The [illegible] volume forms a [illegible] delivered by Mr. [illegible] author gave [illegible] invitation of [illegible]ship on the Philosophy of Natural History founded by Lord Rosebery.

[illegible]

There is something [illegible] in the school-girl letter [illegible] of young Mr. Cyril Buston, [illegible] of brilliant promise has come to [illegible] and [illegible] gleam of comfort for those who are plunged in grief by this sorrowful event may be found in [illegible] manly spontaneous testimony [illegible] sterling worth and endearing qualities of the [illegible] written by his young comrade years [illegible] "I couldn't bear saying good-bye to you, old chap' (he writes) the other day, perhaps for so long, but I hope not. You have been the best friend I have ever had, Cyril, and the only one I love as much as my own brother, and even more. I wonder if you noticed any change in me since we came to know each other. It was from knowing you that I came to see what wortheless fools some fellows are. You were always so unselfish and straightforward in everything, and you made me feel that I was exactly the contrary and that you couldn't care for me at all unless I improved a bit. So you have done me more good than you can imagine, and I am very much obliged to you for it. Now, Cyril, please forgive this rot, and don't think me a fool or a hypocrite, for I really mean what I say, and I am one of those who cannot keep their feelings to themselves."

EDISON'S SUCCESS.

Mr. Edison has been awarded the Albert Medal of the Society of Arts for the present year, in consideration of the distinguished services rendered by him to the progress of Electric Lighting, Telegraphy, and the Telephone. This medal was instituted in 1862 as a memorial of the Prince Consort, for eighteen years the President of the Society, and is awarded annually for distinguished merit in promoting Arts, Manufactures, or Commerce. It was first awarded, in 1864, to Sir Roland Hill, and among the distinguished men of science who have since received it are included the names of Faraday, Whitworth, Liebig Lesseps, Bessemer, Siemens, Armstrong, Thomson, Joule, Hofmann, and Helmholtz. In 1887, it was presented to the Queen on the occasion of her jubilee. This is the second occasion on which it has been awarded to an American. In 1884 it was given to Captain Eads in recognition principally of his great engineering works at the mouth of the Mississippi.

AN INTERESTING WORK.

"The New Exodus" is the title of Mr. Harold Frederic's book on Jewish persecution in Russia. It will be published by Mr. Wm. Heinemann, Bedford-street, first in a limited subscription, one guinea edition, handsomely printed and bound, with illustrations. Each copy will be signed by the author. The book will be an interesting and comprehensive study of the subject—the result of Mr. Frederic's own personal observations.

AN INTERESTING PERSONAGE.

An interesting personality in Buffalo Bill's Wild West coach, says "Woman," is John Nelson, who carelessly sits on the top of the Deadwood coach and fires on the attack of Indians. This quiet looking old man led one of the most adventurous lives of any on the Western frontier. He it was who guided Brigham Young and the first detachment of the Mormon colony across the plains to Utah. Driven from Illinois, the Apostle and his followers were making their way as best they could towards the Promised Land, which he vaguely assured them lay somewhere in the West among the mountains, when one day a strange figure rode into their camp. This was Nelson, who had been living for some years with a tribe of the Sioux. Young, in despair of finding the Promised Land at all, enlisted his services as guide. How successful those services were is now a matter of history.

CORNEY GRAIN'S LATEST.

Mr. Frith's little comedy Barley Mow, in the German Reed entertainment at St. George's hall, is now followed by a musical sketch by Mr. Corney Grain describing My Wife's Party. From the extensiveness of the preparations, the general discomfort, the oddities of the guests, and the peculiarities of the foreign musicians engaged to give life to the gathering, Mr. Corney Grain obtains plenty of fun, and has a budget of good songs more or less satiris[illegible] society, as he finds it. A specially effective vocal effusion is the German piece evolved from a Scottish Border ditty, and still affording many indications of its origin. Those who accept Mr. Grain's invitations to My Wife's Party are sure of a pleasant half hour.

THE PIANOFORTE.

The pianoforte has become such a popular instrument during the present century, that details relating to its history and the development of its resources cannot but be interesting to most amateurs. It was, therefore, a happy idea for Mr. J. H. Bonawitz, in connection with his recital illustrating the progress of music for key-board instruments—the organ, harpsichord, &c.,—during the past 400 years, to obtain the co-operation of such an authority as Mr. Edgar F. Jacques to give analytical and historical comments upon the various stages dealt with. Mr. Bonawitz first treated the organ, starting with a piece by Conrad Paulman of the period 1410-73, and concluding this section with a composition by Palestrina (1524-94). Then came the turn of the harpsichord, the selection beginning with a pavana, "The Earl of Salisbury," by Byrde (1538-1623), which was followed by the "King's Hunting Jigg," by John Bull (1562-1628). Couperin, Scarlatti, Rameau, Bach, and Handel were, of course, not omitted from the list. The pianoforte "successes" commenced with an Allegretto by C. Ph. E. Bach. Then came illustrations of Haydn, Mozart, Beethoven, Weber, Schubert, Mendelssohn, Chopin, Schumann, and others, bringing the performer down to Liszt's arrangement of Mendelssohn's "Wedding March" and "Fairies' Dance." The large and distinguished audience thoroughly appreciated the efforts of Messrs. Bonawitz and Jacques. The former, it should be added, played the twenty-seven pieces from memory.

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